

# House of Representatives

## Chamber Action

**Bills Introduced:** 6 public bills, H.R. 1827–1832; and 1 resolution, H. Con. Res. 108, were introduced. **Page H3215**

**Reports Filed:** One Report was filed today as follows:

H. Res. 173, waiving points of order against the conference report on H.R. 1141, making emergency supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999 (H. Rept. 106–144). **Page H3215**

**Speaker Pro Tempore:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designated Representative Pease to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H3213**

**Recess:** The House recessed at 2:07 p.m. and reconvened at 5:39 p.m. **Page H3214**

**Quorum Calls—Votes:** No quorum calls or recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

**Adjournment:** The House met at 2:00 p.m. and adjourned at 5:40 p.m.

## Committee Meetings

### CONFERENCE REPORT—EMERGENCY SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS

*Committee on Rules:* Granted, by voice vote, a rule waiving all points of order against the conference report to accompany H.R. 1141, making emergency supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and against its consideration. The rule provides that the conference report shall be considered as read. Testimony was heard from Chairman Young.

### NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D 496)

S. 453, to designate the Federal building located at 709 West 9th Street in Juneau, Alaska, as the “Hurff A. Saunders Federal Building”. Signed May 13, 1999. (P.L. 106–27)

S. 460, to designate the United States courthouse located at 401 South Michigan Street in South Bend, Indiana, as the “Robert K. Rodibaugh United States Bankruptcy Courthouse”. Signed May 13, 1999. (P.L. 106–28)

## COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, MAY 18, 1999

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

### Senate

*Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry,* Subcommittee on Forestry, Conservation, and Rural Revitalization, to hold hearings on S. 910, to streamline, modernize, and enhance the authority of the Secretary of Agriculture relating to plant protection and quarantine, 9 a.m., SR–328A.

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation,* to hold hearings on S. 876, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to require that the broadcast of violent video programming be limited to hours when children are not reasonably likely to comprise a substantial portion of the audience, 10 a.m., SR–253.

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources,* Subcommittee on Energy Research, Development, Production and Regulation, to hold hearings on S. 924, entitled the “Federal Royalty Certainty Act”, 2:30 p.m., SD–366.

*Committee on Environment and Public Works,* Subcommittee on Clean Air, Wetlands, Private Property, and Nuclear Safety, to hold hearings on the Environmental Protection Agency’s proposed sulfur standard for gasoline as contained in the proposed Tier Two standards for automobiles, 9:30 a.m., SD–406.

*Committee on Finance,* to resume oversight hearings on United States Customs, focusing on commercial operations, 10 a.m., SD–215.

*Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions,* to resume hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for programs of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act, 10 a.m., SD–628.

### House

*Committee on Agriculture,* Subcommittee on Department Operations, Oversight, Nutrition, and Forestry, hearing to review U.S. Forest Service payments to counties, 1 p.m., 1302 Longworth.

Subcommittee on Risk Management, Research and Specialty Crops, hearing on Commodity Futures Trading Commission Reauthorization, 3 p.m., 1300 Longworth.

*Committee on Appropriations,* Subcommittee on the District of Columbia, on D.C. Courts, 2 p.m., H–144 Capitol.

*Committee on Armed Services,* Subcommittee on Military Procurement, to mark up H.R. 1401, National Defense Authorization Act for fiscal year 2000 and 2001, 1 p.m., 2118 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Military Research and Development, to mark up H.R. 1401, National Defense Authorization Act for fiscal year 2000 and 2001, 4 p.m., 2118 Rayburn.

*Committee on Education and the Workforce,* Subcommittee on Early Childhood, Youth, and Families, hearing on